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For: PALLADIUM, TUNGSTEN AND ZIRCONIUM-BASED CATALYST FOR

PRODUCTION OF OXYGEN-CONTAINING COMPOUND, PRODUCTION PROCESS OF THE CATALYST, AND PRODUCTION PROCESS OF OXYGEN-CONTAINING

COMPOUND USING THE CATALYST

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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